

# PUBLIC LEDGER



FOURTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1895.

ONE CENT.



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The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can toss over his counter free gifts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

## The Continued Calls

upon THE LEDGER for free notices have become so burdensome that we are forced to publish the following terms:

## For Notices of Suppers.

excursions, fairs, or other public entertainments where a fee is charged, and for obituary notices, resolutions of respect, &c., THE LEDGER will charge FIVE CENTS A LINE, and hereafter this will be the invariable rule. This, however,

## Does Not Include

notices of Lodge meetings or Church services, which must not exceed ten lines.

## Avoidance of Disputes.

Misunderstandings are unpleasant. The rate for Business Local in THE LEDGER is 10 cents a line for the first insertion and 5 cents a line for subsequent insertions. A customer orders a five-line local inserted in the paper. "I'll tell you when to take it out," he says to the bookkeeper. But he forgets all about it. The notice runs for two months—32 times—the bill is \$16. When he finds it out there is a "kick" and a controversy, followed probably by an angry feeling. Now, to obviate this trouble, no "I'll tell you when to take it out" notices will be inserted hereafter. Let us have a definite agreement at the outset and the termination will be pleasant all around.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. Basil Duke is visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. E. A. Robinson is at Charleston, W. Va., on a business trip.

Mrs. Will Thomas and little son Niland are visiting relatives in this city.

Dr. H. C. Kehoe and J. N. Lee of Flemingsburg were in Maysville yesterday.

Miss Hattie Johnson left yesterday for Hillsboro to attend the Morgan-Smith nuptials.

Mr. Ed. Horrocks of Ashland came down this morning on a short visit to relatives.

E. V. Griffith and T. J. Black of Germantown were business visitors in this city yesterday.

Mr. E. H. Thomas, Jr., and wife of Chicago are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Thomas.

"Hocker" Williams, he of "Rain-crow" fame, is talking to Eastern Kentucky merchants today.

Mrs. Hamlet C. Sharp and son Hamlet, Jr., arrived home Saturday night after a visit to relatives at Paris.

Mr. B. C. Stevenson of Cincinnati is visiting his sisters, Mrs. O. H. P. Thomas and Miss Martha Stevenson of this city.

Dr. W. B. Dudley, A. M. January and W. J. Drennan of Flemingsburg passed through Maysville Sunday for Cincinnati.

Mrs. George Bruce and daughter, Miss Alice of Covington, are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Evans of Market street.

Miss Marie Waltz has returned from the Conservatory and a delightful visit with relatives and friends in Avondale, Cincinnati.

Mr. William Carr, after a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Carr of the Sixth Ward, returned to his home in Cincinnati yesterday.

Editor J. M. Huff of The Ashland Sun was in the city yesterday, en route home from Carlisle, where he attended the funeral of his aged mother.

Mrs. Julia G. Morgan, Mrs. Frank A. Mannen and Mr. J. Lewis Patton are at Hillsboro, O., to attend the Morgan-Smith nuptials at that place today.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Shea and son Frank returned home yesterday morning after spending Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tannian of Vanceburg.

Hon. O. S. Deming, candidate for Lieutenant Governor; his sons David M. Olivet and W. C. of Warren, O., were all in the city yesterday. The latter is on his annual rest from editorial toil.

Mrs. E. Stanley Lee is in Cincinnati today.

Sam McDonald the tourist is in the city today.

C. C. Cole of Moorefield was in Maysville Sunday.

Dr. W. H. Hord of Orangeburg was in Maysville yesterday.

Mrs. James J. Shackelford went to Cincinnati this morning.

R. J. Sidwell and wife of Winchester were in this city yesterday.

Baseball Captain Thad F. Moore of Dover was in this city yesterday.

Mr. John Schnelle, the C. and O. man at Vanceburg, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Bascomb of Sharpburg are visiting the latter's father, Mr. Joseph D. Peed.



## THE MOAT AND THE WORM.

'Tis an old allegorical saying,  
Which hope in all ages has spread,  
That the soul, like a bloomy-winged miller,  
Unfolds from a chrysalis dead.

Ah, fair would I yield to this fancy,  
This miracle sequence of birth;  
For I hold that the soul's dearest treasure  
Will be its remembrance of earth.

And oh, there's a doubt that assails me,  
Whatever my priest may affirm;  
Does the butterfly, think you, remember,  
The days when it crawled as a worm?

What is life but a season for loving,  
What is love but the essence of years,  
Distilled from the blossoms of pleasure,  
Infused in a moisture of tears?

What avail to inherit the ages  
With naught of the struggle before,  
To know that my love shall not perish,  
Yet I shall behold her no more?

What avail were this fretting and striving  
If memory vanish with breath,  
When Love is the priest of the living,  
And Hope the apostle of Death?

What matter a far-away morning  
If memory end with today?  
'Twere as well to face death everlasting  
As a past to be blotted away.

You may prate of an infinite future,  
You may dream of those eons of bliss,  
But the home of the soul were a failure  
Without recollection of this.

—New York Sun.

## MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

**THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.**  
White streamer—FAIR;  
Blue—RAIN or SNOW;  
With Black ABOVE—TWO WARMER  
grow.  
If Black's BENEATH—COLDER 'Twill  
be;  
Unless Black's shown—no change  
we'll see

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.

We respectfully invite the comparison of THE LEDGER with any other daily newspaper in all Northeastern Kentucky. If any one can find a daily paper printed in the Ninth Congressional District that has

A Larger Circulation, or  
More Original Reading Matter,  
we will take pleasure in presenting him with a year's subscription to THE LEDGER. And this paper is furnished at same price as inferior ones.

Fire Insurance—Duley & Baldwin.  
See the favorite Gas Range in operation at Fitzgerald's, the Plumber.

D. M. Runyon, Fire Insurance; reliable companies represented; no wildcats.

Dr. P. G. Smoot can be found at night at residence of John N. Thomas, Third st.

The Portsmouth Paving Brick Company shipped thirty carloads of brick to Chattanooga, Tenn., last week.

The name of The Illustrated Kentucky, Lexington, will be changed to The Woman's Illustrated Magazine.

Mr. E. B. Dobyns of Covington and Miss Minnie Boyd of this county will marry today at the home of the bride.

Gib Alexander loaded up his tank quite full of rye; It took a dollar and the costs Just for his little fly.

The Four Seasons Hotel is being dismantled. Furniture and fixtures will be removed to Louisville by the Columbia Trust Company. Soon this great hostelry, which cost \$1,000,000, will be a thing of the past.

The Locals (formerly Little Grays) again defeated the Browns by a score of 16 to 8. The game was very interesting up to the sixth inning. The feature of the game was Wood's catching. Batteries—Ort and Wood, Dunbar and Sims. The score by innings:

Locals.....1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9—18  
Browns.....1 0 3 4 0 3 6 1—18  
Umpire—Greenwood.

Mr. Henry Tolle, the L. and N. Baggage-master, is on the sick list.

Fresh River and Lake Fish every day at John Wheeler's, Market street. Prices 6 1/2 to 10 cents per pound.

Dr. F. J. Locke, son-in-law of John L. Grant of this city, who has been seriously ill for some time, is greatly improved.

No one in ordinary health need become bald or gray, if he will follow sensible treatment. We advise cleanliness of the scalp and the use of Hall's Hair Renewer.

James Dupont, alias Jake Black, has been arrested in Indian Territory for the murder of Lewis Long at Lexington in 1890.

James A. Antenheim, an aged citizen of Newport, tried to commit suicide by jumping off the C. and O. Railroad Bridge.

There were 230 business failures during the past seven days in the United States. There were 179 during the corresponding week of last year.

The Covington Ledger, the medium through which Senator Goebel vented his feelings and made the hostile meeting a certainty between him and Mr. Sandford, has suspended.

A gentleman in Nashua, N. H., has for several years past been in the habit of taking Ayer's Sassaaparilla to tone up his system in the spring. The result is that he finds himself stronger, happier, and better than he had been for many years before.

In England the football season has just closed. There were twenty deaths and over 150 legs, arms and collar-bones broken, besides hundreds of minor casualties.

The suit of Casto vs. Plister and others has been decided in the U. S. Court in Wisconsin in favor of the defendants, one of whom is Mrs. Dr. J. P. Plister of this city. The amount involved is about \$115,000.

The trial of John Hamner, charged with the murder of Mac Moore near Junction City a short time ago, is in progress at Danville. Seven lawyers are engaged in the case and the evidence in the main is circumstantial.

The appraisal of the lately suspended Commercial Bank at Cincinnati has been filed, showing assets valued at \$440,000. The liabilities are placed at \$600,000. Notice has been given of a 10 per cent. dividend to depositors payable May 11th.

If you have got a bit of news Just bring it right along, And if we can't put it in prose We'll jot it down in song.

We want our readers to know all That happens in our town, And while we will not "roast" a man, We'll cook him till he's brown.

Yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock Mrs. Mary Brown of East Third street fell and broke her left wrist and severely bruised her head. She had thrown out some water, and in turning around, stumbled over a tub that was sitting in the way and fell down a short flight of steps, alighting on her head and left hand. Dr. C. C. Owens was summoned and attended the fracture. Her many friends will be pained to hear of her misfortune.

## SCHOOL CLOSING.

The Mayslick Public School has a Grand Good Time.

Last Friday was the day for the closing of the Mayslick School for the summer term.

Professor W. R. Chandler has charge of the schools at that place, and all who are acquainted with the Professor know the pupils are in excellent hands.

The Professor has been thinking of plans suitable for closing exercises for several months, and finally came to the conclusion that an outing of some kind at an appropriate place would be the very thing for both the teachers and pupils.

He accordingly notified his brother, Professor T. V. Chandler, who has charge of the Washington School, of his intention, and invited him and his school to accompany him.

At 8 o'clock Friday morning the Washington School to the number of 36 pupils and a great many patrons joined the Mayslick School of 44 pupils, a like number of patrons and a road wagon full of dinner, and the whole crowd proceeded to Bluelick Springs, where the day was spent in a most pleasant and profitable manner.

They all returned home at 6 o'clock, and now all you can hear out in the two neighborhoods is praise for the two genial Professors.

On Thursday, May 16th, the Christian Endeavor Societies of Mayslick and Flemingsburg, together with a number of invited friends, are going to have an outing on a grand scale at the Springs, which will be thoroughly enjoyed by all who are fortunate enough to attend.

C. D. Outten is able to sit up after a severe illness.

Mr. Charles E. Tabb has been quite sick at Cincinnati.

Richmond has 690 pupils of school age—324 males and 366 females.

Colonel Fred Schatzmann has beautified his West Second street property with a coat of paint.

The summer schedule of the C. and O. is being prepared, and will go into effect either May 12th or 19th.

Thomas L. Best & Co. of this county got an average of \$19 10 for five hogsheds of tobacco at Cincinnati.

A Baseball or Bat given, to each boy who buys a pair of Shoes costing \$1 25 or more at J. Henry Pecor's.

Mr. James H. Hall is beautifying his Fourth Ward property with a coat of paint and a new pavement.

Middlesborough has a Chewing Gum Foundry, with Mr. Charles A. Wood, formerly of this city, Secretary and Treasurer.

The Brookville Review says: "There is room in Brookville for a photographer, a dentist, a baker, a hardware man and a furniture man."

Regular meeting of DeKalb Lodge, I. O. O. F., this evening, and all members requested to be present, as business of importance will come up.

A good citizen was fined \$5 and costs yesterday for failing to pay taxes on his purp. Those who have not done so had better go get their tags, as the fine and costs amount to \$9 60.

The Trustees of the Christian Church have sold the lot adjoining the Parsonage on Fourth street to Mr. Lewis Parry for \$1,000 cash. Mr. Parry will probably build a nice residence thereon.

Mr. R. B. Griffith, whose unfortunate accident was mentioned yesterday, was able to come down to breakfast this morning, and it is now thought he will be able to return home in a few days.

Darius Conyers, who was shot at Moore field, as detailed in yesterday's LEDGER, died Sunday morning. He made a dying statement, in which he admitted that he fired three shots before Wilson returned the fire. Wilson was only slightly hurt.

The Mason County Building and Saving Association is still with us, and will open the Nineteenth Series on June 1st. Get ready to subscribe or go now to R. K. Hoeflich Treasurer, M. C. Russell Secretary, or any of the Directors and get your stock.

Mrs. Elizabeth Huff, whose death at Carlisle was mentioned in Saturday's LEDGER, had been married to Mr. William Huff just fifty seven years, her death occurring on that anniversary of the event. The husband and a family of five sons and one daughter survive.

## NAMES OF THE PLAYERS.

Those Who Will Entertain Us On the Diamond Field.

Here they are!

We mean the lads who will look after Maysville's interest on the ball field this season.

After many trials and tribulations "we have got together."

Only two Maysville boys will wear our colors this season, Will Sutherland and Henry Wadsworth being the lucky ones.

At least that's the program now, but it is subject to change.

The balance of the team is composed of players from afar.

With the exception of two of them they are all unknown quantities here, but judging from their credentials they are all up near the orchestra in their class.

As soon as the grounds are fit the boys will be notified to report for practice.

Here is how they will line up to start:

Frank Shultz, Delaware, O., catcher and fielder.

D. L. McGann, Shelbyville, Ky., catcher and fielder.

Samuel Lever, Goshen, O., pitcher, baseman and fielder.

Joseph Cavanaugh, Louisville, Ky., pitcher, baseman and fielder.

Ross Miller, Corydon, Ind., pitcher, baseman and fielder.

J. J. Curle, Cynthiana, Ky., third base.

R. H. Hall, Shelbyville, Ky., shortstop.

W. L. Sutherland, city, fielder.

Henry Wadsworth, city, fielder.

McGann, who will catch and play second base, was here with the Cynthians last season and was Captain of the team.

The patrons of the Cynthians games last season no doubt remember young Curle who played such a sensational third base for them. Curle is also a good sticker.

The stands and fence are under way. The grounds almost in trim. And about the middle of May We'll be gettin' in the swim.

Mrs. W. H. Wadsworth is recovering from her recent illness.

William Hughes of the Sixth Ward will build the fence around the Ball Park.

Ice is selling in Cincinnati at 10 cents for 100 pounds. Rather a slick price.

Squire Burgess has freshened his West End residence with a spring suit of paint.

Bracken county has caught the injunction epidemic. Augusta has enjoined the Sheriff from collecting tax to build a new Courthouse at Brookville, and has enjoined the Building Committee from tearing down the old Courthouse.

Engineers in the employ of New York capitalists are surveying for an electric railway from Brookville to the Ohio river and the C. and O. Railroad. This is really a piece of news that will be hailed with delight by those living along the proposed route until the paying for the road begins.

## KENTUCKY WHEELMEN.

What Louisville Says of the Coming Meet in Maysville.

Sunday's Courier-Journal.

The wheelmen of Maysville are arranging to give the L. A. W. a royal treat at the meet in that city, June 14th and 15th. The program has not been made out in full, but enough of it is known to guarantee fun, and lots of it. The regular parade and business meeting will take place Friday morning, June 14th. In the afternoon races will be run on the mile track at the Fairgrounds, and at night a banquet will be tendered the visitors. Saturday morning there will be a hill-climbing contest on Maysville's famous hill, the steepest in the state, with a picnic and lunch in the woods at the top of the hill after the contest. Races will fill out the day's program, and the "sights of the city by gaslight" will help out at night. Sunday dinner will be had at famous Bluelick Springs, 24 miles from Maysville, and good-bye will be said.

There will be a large crowd of tourists from the center of the state, and Louisville, with her many wheelmen, should send a big delegation. The route from this city to Maysville, 133 miles, is the most famous in the state and it can be ridden by any ordinary wheelman in two days.

## THE FISCAL COURT! ACTION IN FREE TURNPIKE INJUNCTION CASE.

The members of the Fiscal Court

Came ambling into town—  
The tollgate clan was all on hand  
From Charley Williams down.

And when Clerk Cochran called the roll  
To see how each one stood,  
The way the Judge did knock 'em out  
Did all Free Pikers good.

The Tollgate Kings went down the street.  
And each one took a "slug,"  
But if they follow up this plan  
Each one should get a jug.

Pursuant to notice, a special session of the Mason Fiscal Court convened yesterday at 10:30 a. m., Judge Hutchins presiding. All members of the Court present.

And as many spectators as the Quarterly Courtroom could accommodate.

The purpose of the meeting was to take action in regard to the injunction to prevent the Free Turnpike Commissioners, officers of this Court, from the performance of their functions, and to prevent the Sheriff from collecting the tax levied by this Court for the purpose of maintaining Free Turnpikes.

Squire Hook presented the following resolution—

Resolved, That the County Judge, County Attorney and the three Turnpike Commissioners elected by this Court at its April term, 1895, are instructed to defend the suit brought against the officers of this county by Charles B. Pearce in the Mason Circuit Court, and they are hereby empowered, should they deem it necessary or proper, to make the County of Mason a party to said proceedings, and to take such other steps as may appear to them necessary to properly defend said suit and to procure a dissolution of the restraining order therein granted.

Which was adopted by a neck-and-neck vote—

Yeas—Squires Bramel, Miller, Forman and Hook.

Nays—Squires Perrine, Owens, Williams and McIlvain.

Judge M. C. Hutchins voting yes.

Thus ended Chapter II of the Struggle of the People for Freedom from Tollgates!

Dr. H. K. Adamson, who has had charge of the smallpox cases on the Peters farm, rendered a final report, showing a balance due for supplies, services of guards, etc., of \$53, and that amount was ordered paid.

Dr. Adamson also presented his own bill, being a balance of \$190 for professional services; but notwithstanding that the County Judge spoke highly and justly of the public service rendered by the Doctor, the Court deferred payment until the October term.

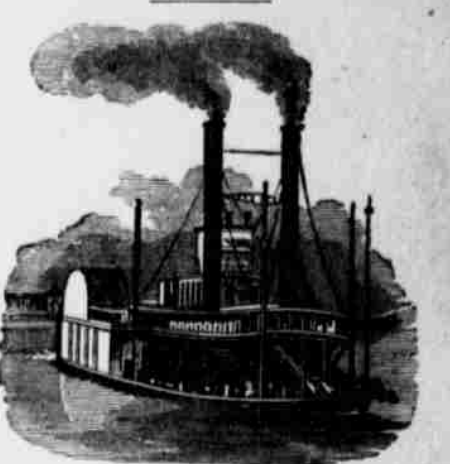
And then adjourned.

The C. and O. Railway has stopped West End parties from removing rock from their own property, on the ground that it will injure the railroad property.

Miss Calley Johnson of Paintsville has filed a \$5,000 breach of contract suit against William Fairchild. The defendant denies that he was ever engaged to the young woman.

## RIVER NEWS.

Numerous Items of Interest Found Floating on the Current.



The Ruth is due up for Portsmouth tonight.

The Bonanza will pass up tonight for Pomeroy.

The St. Lawrence will pass down tonight from Pomeroy.

The Sunshine came up this morning in the City of Vevey's place.

The Scotia passed down yesterday afternoon looking like a new pin.

The Troubadour, with Price's Floating Opera in tow, passed up last night.

One item of the Scotia's cargo was 18,000 bundles of cotton ties for Vicksburg. All the rivers above are falling, and the gauge at 7 a. m. at this place read 10.9 and falling.

The first of the ten Government barges being built at Cincinnati will be completed today.

The steamers City of Louisville and Big Sandy are making things lively between Cincinnati and Louisville.

The coalboat water having run out above, there will be no arrivals of coal tows for some days. The boats are endeavoring to get back with empties for the next run. The John Moren passed up Sunday afternoon with about the last tow.

The City of Vevey, upon her arrival at Cincinnati Saturday, was sent to the bank, where she will undergo some necessary repairs. Her bow will be raised, and a new stern band will be placed on her. The work will take several days.

Upon the Telegraph's arrival at Cincinnati Saturday night her officers found orders awaiting them that changed their usual program. They were ordered to go back at noon as far up as Quincy, to fill the engagements of the City of Vevey, which boat has been making the Sunday morning trips for some weeks past. The Telegraph had considerable reshipping, which she discharged, and then went to the foot of Walnut street, where she put off 200 barrels of salt for Cincinnati. The trip she took up was a big one, including 100 hogsheds of tobacco and miscellaneous freight of all descriptions.

Ashland News.—Since the failure of the good people of Russell to get the Government to allow them money for the protection of the river front, they have gotten together upon their own hook, and have decided to riprap the bank at their individual expense. The work will cover a long stretch above the ferry float, and about five hundred feet below that point. The banks will be partly protected by a stone wall, and the balance of the work will consist of ordinary ripraping. There is talk of placing a breakwater at the mouth of what is called Bear Creek in order to turn off the current so that there will be no danger of further cutting while the work is in progress. It will in all probability be a costly job, but they prefer to pay the bill, let it be what it may, to having the bank continue to wash away as it has done for some time past. It will be remembered that a year ago all of the fine row of trees along the river front were carried away by the heavy current of a big rise. Since then there has been a rapid increase of the washing till now there is nothing at all to keep it down.

## Don't Forget

The cheap C. and O. excursion to Cincinnati Wednesday, May 31st, only \$1 25 round trip. Tickets good going on regular trains Nos. 19 and 15, which will carry extra coaches for this occasion, leaving Maysville at 5:30 a. m. and 5:00 p. m., arriving at Cincinnati at 7:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Tickets good returning on regular train No. 20, leaving Cincinnati at 5:30 p. m. Wednesday, May 31st, and on regular trains Nos. 16 and 20, leaving Cincinnati at 7:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Thursday, May 1st.

Among the many attractions offered on this date will be the appearance at the Walnut of the celebrated actress, Miss Fannie Davenport, in "Glamorous." The Cincinnati will play the New Yorks at Ball Park on Wednesday, May 31st, and the Brooklyn on Thursday, May 31st. Don't miss these two great games. See small bills for further particulars.

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